



# FAMILY READINESS

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## **Family Readiness Awards** **General Information**

In a continued effort to recognize our truly outstanding volunteers we will recognize a Military Family, Family Program Volunteer, and Military member annually. The State Family Readiness Office is seeking nominations for the Family of the Year, Volunteer of the Year and Family Program Military Member of the Year for 2008.

All nominations will be submitted to the State Family Readiness Office. Deadline for submissions is 17 August 2009. Anyone can nominate a family, volunteer, or service member. A selection board will select one Army and one Air Guard recipient from each category. Commands will be notified by 4 September 2009 of all nominations and award recipients. Also, the State Family Readiness Office will send a Letter of Appreciation to all nominees.

Nomination packets must include as a minimum the cover sheet and nomination worksheet (included with this letter). Also encouraged for inclusion in the nomination packet are pictures, newspaper articles, letters of recommendation and anything else which would enhance the nomination packet.

Contact the State Family Readiness Office if you have further questions, at 605-737-6089 or email at [familyprogram@sd.ngb.army.mil](mailto:familyprogram@sd.ngb.army.mil)

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